

## Placement Rate Methodology

Placement rates are determined by the placement of students that complete or graduate from a program and employed in the field or related field to the program studies, entered military or continued education.

### Graduate and non-graduate completers

**Graduate completer:** those that have achieved the competencies required in that program and have been awarded the appropriate certificate diploma.

**Non-Graduate completer:** those that left the program without credentials or a certificate/diploma but have attained sufficient competencies in the program and a job in a related field.

**Graduation Rate**= Graduate completers (numerator) divided by Cumulative enrollment minus(-) ending enrollment (denominator)

**Total Completion Rate** = Total Completers (numerator) divided by cumulative enrollment minus (-) ending enrollment (denominator)

**Graduation Placement Rate**= Graduate completers placed in related field (numerator) divided by Total Graduate completers minus (-) those who were unavailable for or refused employment (denominator).

**Total Placement Rate**= Graduate & Non-Graduate Completers (numerator) divided by Total completers minus (-) those who were unavailable for or refused employment (denominator).

### Definition of Placement

Employed in field or related field for which trained, entered military or continuing education.